## Attention FDA

It came to my attention that the FDA is being asked to take away my right to sign a

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medical waiver before purchasing a hearing aid. Instead I would be forced to have a medical exam or hearing test. Here's my views and/or experiences on several related questions?

1. Should I be forced to have a medical exam and/or hearing test before purchasing a hearing aid? If so, should the FDA pay for the exam?

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2. Some people are physically anable to drive to a doctor or hearing specialist, or have had bad experiences they don't want to repeat. For instance ... I have head a friends get sfams and purchased hearing aids from Hearing aid Centers and they didn't work well and they didn't get all their money back. The one purchased to didn't get all their money back. The one purchased to show they have the short in aid to sky have go with them.

Court, to decide for myself my medical exams and treatment?

How dare you by to take away my right? I will decide what to do with me, not you.

4. Should I be allowed to purchase hearing aids by mail as I choose?

I have brught a hearing aids through the mail and am very patisfied. One is about 17 years old that works well, the other is about 5 years old I have no complaints so get off my back.

Signed by: Helen Slashy Date: 3-6-00

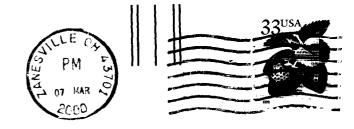
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